



Butte Fire

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Incident Update Sheet



Date: September 11, 2015 Time: 8:00 P.M.

Fire Information Line: 530-647-5218; 209-754-5527

Fire Media Line: 530-683-5229

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STATUS

Incident Start Date: 09/09/2015	Incident Start Time: 2:25 P.M.
Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Under Investigation
Incident Location: Butte Mountain Rd in the counties of Amador and Calaveras	
Acres Burned: 64,728	Containment: 5%
Expected Containment:	Injuries: 0

Structures Threatened: 6,400

Structures Destroyed: 8

Structures Damaged: 0

RESOURCES

Engines: 246	Water Tenders: 40	Helicopters: 17	Air Tankers: 8	Hand Crews: 63
Dozers: 40	Other:	Total Personnel: 2,409		
Cooperating Agencies: Cal OES, USFS, BLM, PG&E, CHP, Calaveras County Sheriff, Amador County Sheriff, Calaveras PUD, CDCR, Sutter Creek Fire Department, Red Cross, CAL-TRANS, CA State Parks, Amador Fire Protection District.				

Current Situation:

Fire behavior remained extreme throughout the day with rapid, uncontrolled fire growth to the south and east. Unfavorable weather coupled with fuel moistures at critical levels have resulted in explosive fire conditions. Mandatory evacuations continue to expand as the fire continues to grow. Residents are urged to stay vigilant due to current and expected fire conditions.

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